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C O N F I D E N T I A L QUITO 1290

E.O. 11652: GDS

TAGS: ELAB EC

SUBJECT: PRESIDENT RECEIVES FOREIGN COMMUNIST DELEGATES TO CTE  
CONGRESS

REF: QUITO 1194

1. PRESIDENT RODRIGUEZ LARA PUT FROSTING ON CAKE OF GOVERNMENT TREATMENT OF COMMUNIST CENTER CTE BY RECEIVING FEBRUARY 19 AT PRESIDENTIAL PALACE THE HEADS OF DELEGATIONS TO THE CTE CONGRESS FROM CUBA, PERU, ROMANIA, SOVIET UNION AND NORTH KOREA. ACCORDING TO PRESS REPORTS, KASIMERAS MATZKYA-VICHUS, DESCRIBED AS PRESIDENT OF CENTRAL COMMITTEE OF SOVIET TRADE UNIONS, AGAPITO FIGUEROA, HEAD OF THE CUBAN DELEGATION, AND SONG HO KYONG OF NORTH KOREA EXPRESSED TO THE PRESIDENT THE DELEGATION'S GREETINGS. CTE PRESIDENT VASQUEZ BASTIDAS REQUESTED GOE PERMISSION TO HOLD THE 6TH MEETING OF THE CONGRESO PERMANENTE DE UNIDAD DE TRABAJADORES DE AMERICAN LATINA IN QUITO.

2. PRESIDENT RODRIGUEZ ACCEPTED THE GIFTS OFFERED HIM BY THE DELEGATIONS AND THANKED THEM FOR THEIR SOLIDARITY  
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WITH ECUADOR IN OPPOSING US TRA AND DEFENDING ECUADOREAN

NATURAL RESOURCES. PRESIDENT MADE HORTATORY REMARKS REGARDING UNITY OF CIVILIAN AND MILITARY IN DEVELOPMENT OF ECUADOR AND CONDEMNED POLITICIANS WHO INTERFERE WITH COUNTRY'S DEVELOPMENT. PRESIDENT CONCLUDED WITH STATEMENT: "WE HAVE MATURED SUFFICIENTLY TO DIRECT OURSELVES, WITHOUT REQUIRING TUTORS NOR FOREIGN INFLUENCE."

3. COMMENT: WE WOULD PREFER TO BELIEVE THAT PRESIDENT WITH QUOTED STATEMENT WAS WARNING AGAINST COMMUNIST INTERVENTION IN ECUADOR. HOWEVER, IN LIGHT OF CTE RESOLUTIONS REGARDING PTI AND AIFLD PRESENCE IN ECUADOR WE ARE RESERVING JUDGMENT.  
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